

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Sunday, March 31, 2019
9:00 AM PST

Day 1: Drier and warmer weather continues today, with no expected impacts.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

03/31/19 - 04/06/19

Sunday

- Drier and warmer weather continues today, with no expected impacts

Sunday night-Wednesday

- A relatively minor storm system is expected to move across northern California to start the week, with valley rain and mountain snow possible for the northern half of the state
 - Generally 0.50-1.00" precipitation expected across portions of Coastal and Inland Regions
 - Some minor mountain travel impacts possible due to accumulating snowfall
- Gusty winds increasing across Southern Region, especially Tuesday and Wednesday
- Most of the precipitation is expected Monday and Tuesday, with a relative break on Wednesday

Thursday-Saturday

- A potentially stronger and wetter storm system could bring moderate to heavy rainfall to northern and central California to end the week, with Friday and Saturday as the most likely days for heavy rain
 - Confidence in details with this storm should increase through the early portions of the week



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

03/31/19 - 04/06/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds			Southern	Southern		All Regions	
Snow		Coastal / Inland	Coastal/ Inland		Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)		Coastal/ Inland	Inland		Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow		Coastal	Coastal/ Inland		Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



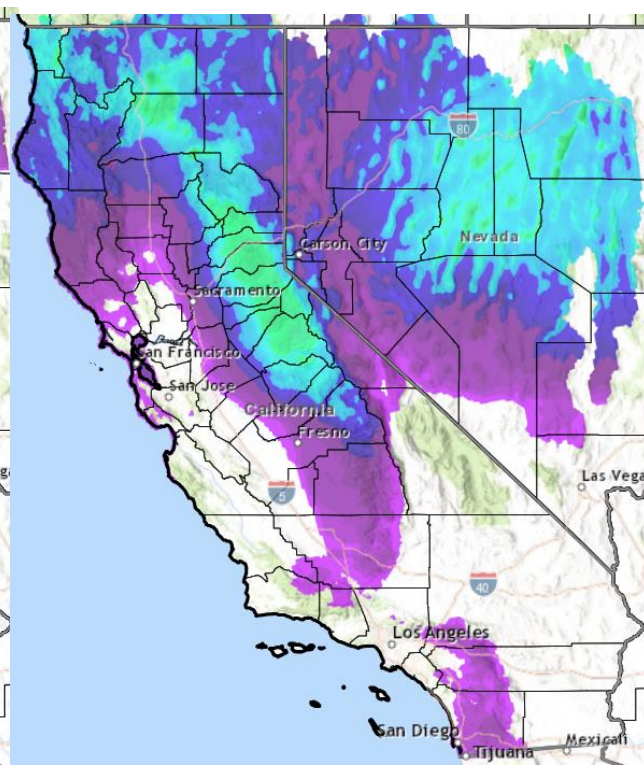
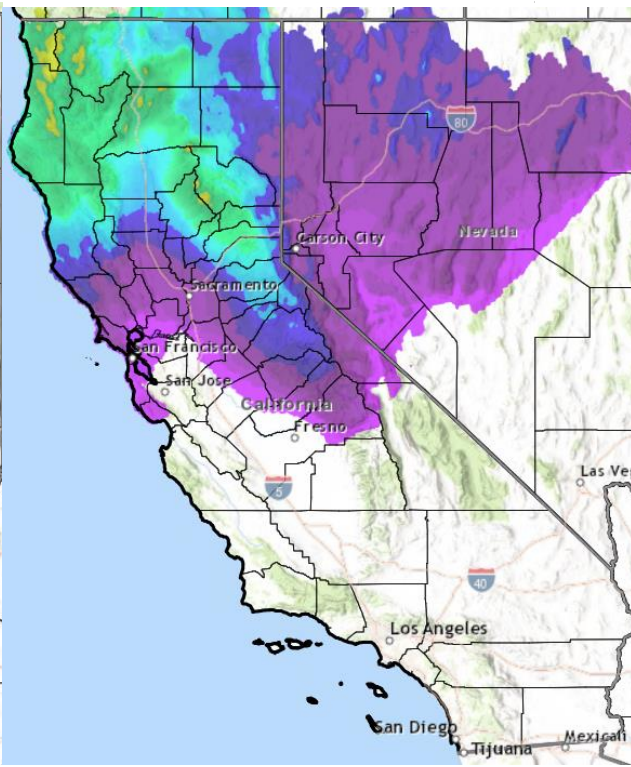
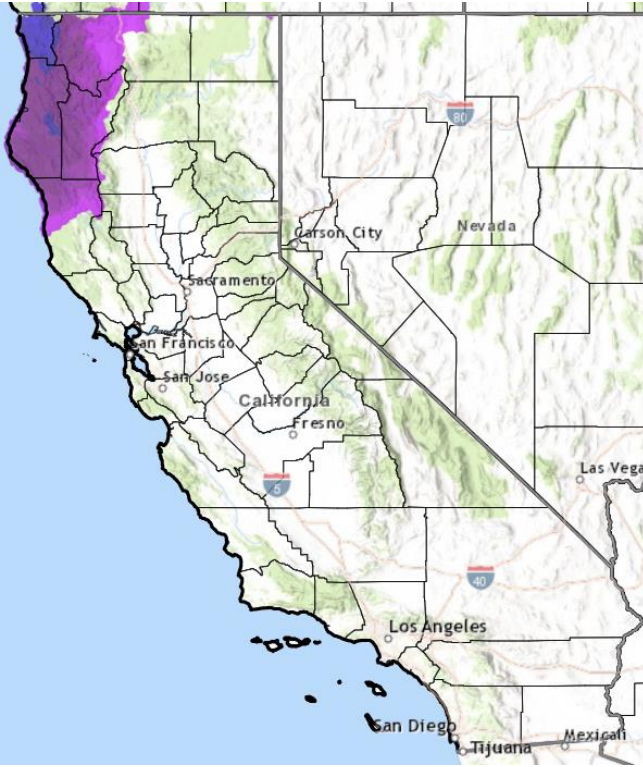
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/31/19 - 04/02/19



Sunday / Sunday Night

Monday / Monday Night

Tuesday / Tuesday Night

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

04/05/19 - 04/13/19

6-10 Day Outlook (Apr 5– Apr 9)

Temperatures

- Moderate to high confidence for above normal temperatures.

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored across northern CA, with near normal conditions in southern CA.

8-14 Day Outlook (Apr 7 – Apr 13)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide.

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored statewide.



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